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> PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT THEREFOR

Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) petition(s) the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 19, 2002 for one(1) month(s) from July 19, 2002 to August 19, 2002. A Notice of Appeal responding to the aforesaid Office Action is being filed concurrently herewith.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 10-0750/PPC-720/TT in the name of Johnson & Johnson for the cost of filing this Petition. Three copies of this Petition are enclosed.

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